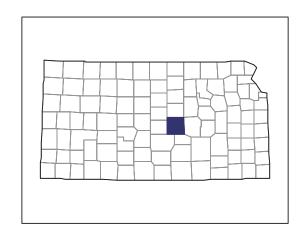
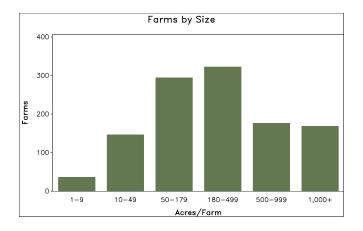
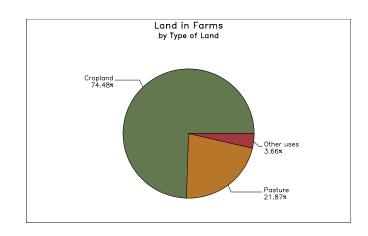


## McPherson, Kansas



	2007	2002	% change
Number of Farms	1,142	1,161	- 2
Land in Farms	566,309 acres	574,875 acres	- 1
Average Size of Farm	496 acres	495 acres	+ 0
Market Value of Production	\$119,750,000	\$99,428,000	+ 20
Crop Sales \$57,227,000 (48 percent) Livestock Sales \$62,522,000 (52 percent)			
Average Per Farm	\$104,860	\$85,640	+ 22
Government Payments	\$6,639,000	\$4,356,000	+ 52
Average Per Farm	\$7,605	\$5,967	+ 27







**County Profile** 

## McPherson, Kansas

## Ranked items among the 105 state counties and 3,079 U.S. counties, 2007

Item	Quantity	State Rank	Universe 1	U.S. Rank	Universe 1
MARKET VALUE OF AGRICULTURAL PRODUCTS SOLD (\$1,000)					
Total value of agricultural products sold Value of crops including nursery and greenhouse Value of livestock, poultry, and their products	119,750 57,227 62,522	35 33 43	105 105 105	731 757 662	3,076 3,072 3,069
VALUE OF SALES BY COMMODITY GROUP (\$1,000)					
Grains, oilseeds, dry beans, and dry peas Tobacco Cotton and cottonseed Vegetables, melons, potatoes, and sweet potatoes Fruits, tree nuts, and berries Nursery, greenhouse, floriculture, and sod Cut Christmas trees and short rotation woody crops Other crops and hay Poultry and eggs Cattle and calves Milk and other dairy products from cows Hogs and pigs Sheep, goats, and their products Horses, ponies, mules, burros, and donkeys Aquaculture Other animals and other animal products	54,544 (-) (-) (-) (17 (-) (D) (D) (D) 182 50,710 2,573 7,057 1,411 225 (-)	32 (-) (-) 48 (-) (D) (D) (D) 15 41 22 17 1 10 (-)	105 (-) 19 72 56 74 29 105 105 105 98 105 103 104 17	538 (-) (-) 2,440 (-) (D) (D) 1,281 229 980 452 80 1,017 (-)	2,933 437 626 2,796 2,659 2,703 1,710 3,054 3,020 3,054 2,493 2,992 2,998 3,024 1,498 2,875
TOP LIVESTOCK INVENTORY ITEMS (number)					
Cattle and calves Hogs and pigs Turkeys Sheep and lambs Horses and ponies	54,503 25,497 (D) 5,668 1,347	47 18 3 2 20	105 105 56 99 105	504 464 (D) 181 999	3,060 2,958 2,371 2,891 3,066
TOP CROP ITEMS (acres)					
Wheat for grain, all Sorghum for grain Soybeans for beans Forage-land used for all hay and haylage, grass silage, and greenchop Corn for grain	212,115 53,323 43,352 34,752 25,289	2 10 23 33 55	105 104 103 105 105	34 18 564 575 844	2,481 1,158 2,039 3,060 2,634

## **Other County Highlights**

Economic Characteristics	Quantity
Farms by value of sales	
Less than \$1,000	194
\$1,000 to \$2,499	61
\$2,500 to \$4,999	84
\$5,000 to \$9,999	109
\$10,000 to \$19,999	135
\$20,000 to \$24,999	44
\$25,000 to \$39,999	86
\$40,000 to \$49,999	39
\$50,000 to \$99,999	146
\$100,000 to \$249,999	153
\$250,000 to \$499,999	60
\$500,000 or more	31
Total farm production expenses (\$1,000)	109,719
Average per farm (\$)	96,076
Net cash farm income of operation (\$1,000)	33,760
Average per farm (\$)	29,562

Operator Characteristics	Quantity	
Principal operators by primary occupation:		
Farming	584	
Other	558	
Principal operators by sex:		
Male	1,083	
Female	59	
Average age of principal operator (years)	57.1	
All operators <sup>2</sup> by race:		
American Indian or Alaska Native	10	
Asian	(-)	
Black or African American	(-)	
Native Hawaiian or Other Pacific Islander	(-)	
White	1,613	
More than one race	(-)	
All operators <sup>2</sup> of Spanish, Hispanic, or Latino Origin	9	

<sup>(</sup>D) Cannot be disclosed. (Z) Less than half of the unit shown. See "Census of Agriculture, Volume 1, Geographic Area Series" for complete footnotes.

Universe is number of counties in state or U.S. with item.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>2</sup> Data were collected for a maximum of three operators per farm.